News of World As Seen By Camera

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Sun Badly Spotted Scientists Investigate

ASTRONOMERS have been interested recently in studying some unusually large spots on the sun. A photograph reproduced here shows George Henry Peters of the naval observatory looking at the sun by means of a photographic telescope.

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A decidedly unconventional snapshot of the United States cabinet officers was taken as they were bidding goodbye to Will Hays, retiring from the post of postmaster-general. The members, left to right, are: Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, Vice-President Coolidge, Secretary of Labor Davis, Secretary of the Interior Fall, ex-Postmaster-General Will Hays, Secretary of Commerce Hoover and Secretary of the Navy Denby.

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A Washington (D. C.) merchant stirred up a lot of fuss when he advertised to display hosiery on living models. The display was said to have been a success, but reports as to resultant sales are lacking.

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A feature of the big horse show at Santa Barbara, Cal., this month is to be a polo game between girls' teams. Miss Elizabeth Hammond, Boston society girl, and Miss Polly Frost (right), prominent New Yorker, are shown ready for practice.

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On March 3, Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of the modern telephone, celebrated his 75th birthday at Miami, Fla., at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. David Fairchild. The inventor never has a telephone near his study and, in accord with his wishes, there is none in the Fairchild home. The obvious reason is that he does not wish to be disturbed by calls on the phone.

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Mrs. Nelson P. Riddick of Fulda, Minn., was the first farm woman to appear before the senate agricultural committee to aid in attempts to obtain adequate prices for farm produce. She is a director of the United Society of Agriculture and with her is shown Benjamin C. March, managing director of the organization.

There is a bill in congress calling for adoption of an entirely new calendar, as worked out by Moses B. Cotsworth of Vancouver, B. C. His plan includes setting aside the first day of each year as New Year's day and giving it no other number or name other than that. Then he would start January 1 and continue until January 28. The next day would be February 1 and so on, making 52 equal weeks and 13 months (four equal weeks to each month). He would start each month on Sunday, the 1st, and end it on Saturday, the 28th. The thirteenth month he would place between June and July and call it Sol.

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Commander Hayne Ellis, U. S. N., has been selected by Secretary of the Navy Denby to be his personal aide. He succeeds Captain David sellers, U. S. N., who has been made commander of the U. S. S. Maryland.

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With the British protectorate over Egypt ended, according to Premier Lloyd George, Prince Fuad Pasha, heir to the Khedive of Egypt, comes into prominence as the probable ruler of the country.

Hays Has Farewell Chat With Cabinet Members

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Society Girls Will Play Polo

Phone Inventor Does Without One Now

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Farm Women Appears Before Senate Committee

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Would Give Us Unlucky Calendar

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He's New Aide To Denby

Prince May Be Egypt's Ruler

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